

BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD

DATE: 19 April 2006

**PLACE: Department of Administration
1 Capitol Hill 2nd floor, Conference Room B
Providence, RI 02908**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Messieurs: Bernardo, Moore and Smith

**OTHERS PRESENT: Adam J. Sholes, Legal Counsel, Attorney
General**

Peter N. Dennehy, Esq.

Lois Marshall, Administrative Assistant

**CALLED TO ORDER: Chairman Bernardo called the meeting to order
at 12:03 PM to commence Board business.**

NEW BUSINESS:

**(1) Motion was made by Mr. Smith to accept the minutes of the 22
March 2006 meeting. Vice Chairman Moore seconded the motion.
Motion carried.**

**(2) Motion was made by Mr. Smith to approve and seal the minutes of
the Executive Sessions of 22 March 2006. Vice Chairman Moore**

seconded the motion. Motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

A motion was made by Vice Chairman Moore at 12:04PM to move into Executive Session pursuant to RI General Laws, Section §42-46(5)(a)(2) for sessions pertaining to collective bargaining or litigation. Mr. Smith seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Vice Chairman Moore moved to adjourn from executive session and reconvene to open meeting at 12:16 PM pursuant to R.I.G.L. §42-46-4. Mr. Smith seconded the motion. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Vice Chairman Moore at 12:17 PM to reconvene to Open Meeting in accordance with R.I.G.L. § 42-46(5)(a) (2) and seal the Minutes of the Executive Session. Mr. Smith seconded the motion. Motion carried.

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Mr. Smith updated the Board on the progressive of the 2007 Northeast Zone meeting which is being held in Rhode Island. The date of the meeting has been changed to May 3-5 2007.

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A motion was made by Mr. Smith to register Mr. Kim in the Electrical discipline. Motion seconded by Vice Chairman Moore. Motion carried.

P.E. COMITY:

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Mr. Smith made motion to deny comity to the following individuals due to the fact that they do not meet the statutory requirements for registration under current law. Mr. Mergerson and Mr. Neuendorf were denied due to the fact that they took and failed the PE exam more than four times. Mr. Martine was denied due to the fact that he does not have a four-year Bachelor's Degree in Engineering. Vice Chairman Moore seconded the motion. Motion carried.

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ADJOURNED:

Chairman Bernardo informed the Board that the next Board meeting would be scheduled for 17 May 2006 at 12:00 noon. Motion was made by Mr. Smith to adjourn the meeting at 12:51PM. Vice Chairman Moore seconded the motion. Motion carried.

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SOLES PAID COMMENTS

WILLIAM J. SCULLY, P.E. - 0 - HOLD TILL 5/17/06 BOARD MTG.

LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP

**APPROVED IN MECHANICAL
ATKINSON KOVEN FEINBERG ENGINEERS LLP \$125. & ELECTRICAL
- 4/19/06**

INFINIGY ENGINEERING, PLLC \$125. APPROVED IN CIVIL - 4/19/06

LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

**CORNERSTONE ENGINEERING, PLLC \$125. APPROVED IN CIVIL -
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LEVEL DESIGN GROUP, L.L.C. \$125. APPROVED IN CIVIL - 4/19/06

CORPORATIONS

**EARTH TECH ARCHITECTS & ENGINEERS, INC. \$ 50.
COA#5726 - Name change from Tams Architects
and Engineers, Inc. APPROVED IN CIVIL - 4/19/06**

R. W. GILLESPIE & ASSOCIATES, INC. \$125. APPROVED IN CIVIL - 4/19/06

JORDAN & SKALA ENGINEERS, INC. \$125. APPROVED IN ELECTRICAL, MECHANICAL AND FIRE PROTECTION - 4/19/06

FOR DISCUSSION

A & A ENGINEERING APPROVED NAME AS A & A ENGINEERING CIVIL AND STRUCTURAL LLC - 4/19/06

GMA ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS, P.C. 2/15/06 - APPROVED IN CIVIL... Mr. Phillips

license was issued prior to discipline specific and requests that the Board allow him to practice as in the past.

3/22/06 - Bd. requests that Mr. Phillips provide a detailed explanation of where and how he gained proficiency in all major engineering areas.

4/13/06 - See ltr of explanation from Mr. Phillips

4/19/06 - Bd. decision that Mr. Phillips must include the professionals listed in his letter on the COA - 4/19/06